

APPROVED

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

MINUTES

SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE "A"

TIME AND PLACE: Special Conference Committee "A" convened on September 30, 2011 at 1:05 p.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 2nd Floor Conference Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, VA 23233.

PRESIDING: Martha C. Cutright, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Augustus A. Petticolas, Jr., D.D.S.

MEMBERS ABSENT: Meera A. Gokli, D.D.S.

STAFF PRESENT: Alan Heaberlin, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Gail Ross, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM: With two members present, a quorum was established.

**Mohsen Izadi, DDS
Case No.: 137051** Dr. Izadi appeared without counsel to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated July 27, 2011. The Committee received statements from Dr. Izadi and discussed the allegations with him. The Committee also received statements from Patient A and discussed the allegations with her.

Closed Meeting: Dr. Petticolas moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Mohsen Izadi. Additionally, Dr. Petticolas moved that Mr. Heaberlin, Ms. Lee and Ms. Ross attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene: Dr. Petticolas moved that the Committee certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and passed.

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DECISION:
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Ms. Ross reported the Committee found that during Patient A's initial visit to Dr. Izadi's office, he failed to treat periodontal disease or provide a referral to a specialist, despite the fact that he documented heavy gingival bleeding and periodontal pocketing in the patient's record, and recommended full mouth root planing. Dr. Izadi also took impressions for veneers on teeth #6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 despite the presence of unhealthy or bleeding tissue.

The sanctions reported by Ms. Ross were that Dr. Izadi shall be reprimanded; assessed a \$2,500 monetary penalty; and complete four hours of continuing education in risk management.

Dr. Petticolas moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

Approval of Minutes:

Upon a motion by Dr. Petticolas, the minutes from the Informal Conference conducted on August 19, 2011 were approved.

ADJOURNMENT:

With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 3:03 p.m.

Martha C. Cutright, DDS
Martha C. Cutright, DDS, Chair

11/18/2011
Date

Sandra K. Reen
Sandra K. Reen, Executive Director

November 21, 2011
Date